

## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The claims in this listing replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

### Listing of Claims:

1-6 (canceled).

7 (currently amended). A communication method by which a remote terminal terminates a startup session of a full duplex communication to be established between a central terminal and the remote terminal, comprising:

transmitting certain data when the remote terminal completes a transmission of a mode select message, an acknowledge (ACK) message being transmitted by the central terminal upon reception of the mode select message transmitted by the remote terminal;

receiving the ACK message transmitted by the central terminal; and

transmitting predetermined data upon reception of the ACK message transmitted by the central terminal, wherein the data transmission in the startup session is terminated when the central terminal at least receives the predetermined data transmitted by the remote terminal and detects a predetermined period of silence transmission, the certain data transmitted by the remote terminal comprising a hex "7E" character, wherein the remote terminal transmits the predetermined data within a

predetermined period after the ACK message, transmitted by the central terminal, is received.

10 (canceled).

11 (currently amended). The communication method of claim [[10]] 7, wherein the predetermined period is less than approximately 500 ms.

12 (previously presented). The communication method of claim 11, wherein the predetermined period comprises approximately 100 ms.

13 (canceled).

14 (currently amended). A communication method by which a remote terminal terminates a startup session of a full duplex communication to be established between a central terminal and the remote terminal, comprising:

transmitting certain data when the remote terminal completes a transmission of a mode select message, an acknowledge (ACK) message being transmitted by the central terminal upon reception of the mode select message transmitted by the remote terminal;

receiving the ACK message transmitted by the central terminal; and

transmitting predetermined data upon reception of the ACK message transmitted

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by the central terminal, wherein the data transmission in the startup session is terminated when the central terminal detects a predetermined period of silence transmission, the certain data, transmitted by the remote terminal, comprising a hex "7E" character, wherein the data transmission in the startup session is terminated when the central terminal detects the predetermined period of silence transmission after the ACK message was transmitted.

15 (canceled).

16 (currently amended). The communication method of claim ~~[[15]]~~ 14, wherein the predetermined period of silence transmission comprises approximately 100 ms.

17 (canceled).

18 (canceled).

19 (currently amended). A communication method by which a central terminal terminates a startup session of a full duplex communication to be established between the central terminal and a remote terminal, comprising:

transmitting certain data when the central terminal completes a transmission of a mode select message, an acknowledge (ACK) message being transmitted by the remote terminal upon reception of the mode select message transmitted by the central

terminal;

receiving the ACK message transmitted by the remote terminal; and  
transmitting predetermined data upon reception of the ACK message transmitted by the remote terminal, wherein the data transmission in the startup session is terminated when the remote terminal at least receives the predetermined data transmitted by the central terminal and detects a predetermined period of silence transmission, the certain data, transmitted by the central terminal, comprising a hex "7E" character, wherein the central terminal transmits the predetermined data within a predetermined period after the ACK message, transmitted by the remote terminal, is received.

20 (canceled).

21 (canceled).

22 (canceled).

23 (currently amended). The communication method of claim [[22]] 19, wherein the predetermined period is less than approximately 500ms.

24 (previously presented). The communication method of claim 23, wherein the

predetermined period comprises approximately 100ms.

25 (canceled).

26 (currently amended). A communication method by which a central terminal terminates a startup session of a full duplex communication to be established between the central terminal and a remote terminal, comprising;

transmitting certain data when the central terminal completes a transmission of a mode select message, an acknowledge (ACK) message being transmitted by the remote terminal upon reception of the mode select message transmitted by the central terminal;

receiving the ACK message transmitted by the remote terminal; and

transmitting predetermined data upon reception of the ACK message transmitted by the remote terminal, wherein the data transmission in the startup session is terminated when the remote terminal detects a predetermined period of silence transmission, the certain data, transmitted by the central terminal, comprising a hex "7E" character, wherein the data transmission in the startup session is terminated when the remote terminal detects the predetermined period of silence transmission after the ACK message was transmitted.

27 (canceled).

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28 (currently amended). The communication method of claim ~~[[27]]~~ 26, wherein the predetermined period of silence transmission comprises approximately 100ms.